UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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NOTICE

TO: THE PUBLIC AND MEMBERS OF THE PRACTICING BAR FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071(e) and Rule 83 of the *Federal Rules of Civil Procedure*, the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana hereby gives public notice of the following:

Certain Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana are amended **effective July 1, 2005**. The text of those Rules follows. Unless otherwise indicated, as seen in this Notice **redline** text is added and struck text is deleted.

Local Rule 15.1 - Form of a Motion to Amend and Its Supporting Documentation

A party who moves to amend a pleading shall attach the original of the amendment, and one copy, to the motion electronically file the signed proposed amended pleading and proposed order as attachments to the motion. If the filing party is exempt from the electronic filing requirement, the motion and proposed order shall be submitted in paper form and must be accompanied by the signed original and one copy of the proposed amended pleading. Any amendment to a pleading, whether filed as a matter of course or upon a motion to amend, must, except by leave of Court, reproduce the entire pleading as amended, and may not incorporate any prior pleading by reference.

Comments concerning the rule amendments are welcome. Comments must be submitted in writing on or before **August 1, 2005**, and should be sent to:

Local Rule Comments Office of the Clerk 105 U.S. Courthouse 46 East Ohio Street Indianapolis, IN 46204